was drawn to Parrs Spring, or the headwaters of the Patuxent, and the portion of Frederick County lying to the south and east was assigned to Montgomery County. The second line ran along the crest of South Mountain from the temporary line to the Potomac River. All the territory lying west of this was assigned to Washington County. In this way Frederick County was limited on the north, west, south, and southeast by its present bounds. Its eastern boundary was modified by the erection of Carroll County in 1836, and again in 1838 when the boundary lines were defined as running from Rocky Creek, one of the headwaters of the Monocacy River as it crosses the State line, thence with the said creek until the same is merged into the Monocacy River, thence with the latter to the mouth of Double Pipe Creek, thence up Double Pipe Creek to the mouth of Little Pipe Creek, thence with the latter stream to the mouth of Sams Creek, which it follows to its head.

FREDERICK COUNTY ELECTION DISTRICTS.

1798 Ch. 115. County divided into 7 election districts.

1799 Ch. 48. Confirms Acts of 1798 Ch. 115.

- 1799 Ch. 50. Commission appointed to divide county into 7 election districts.
- 1802 Ch. 82. County divided into 9 election districts.
- 1803 Ch. 19. Confirms Acts of 1802 Ch. 82.
- 1803 Ch. 46. Commission appointed to lay off county in 9 election districts who report to the County Clerk.
- 1821 Ch. 35. County laid off and divided into 11 election districts.
- 1822 Ch. 6. Confirms Acts of 1821 Ch. 35.
- 1824 Ch. 13. Commission appointed to lay off election districts authorized.
- 1824 Ch. 84. 3d election district divided into two precincts.
- 1826 Ch. 31. Erects additional election district from parts of the 6th and 7th districts to be known as the 12th election district [apparently not confirmed].
- 1826 Ch. 188. Supplementary commission appointed.
- 1829 Ch. 168. Erects additional election district from parts of the 3d election district to be known as the 12th election district. Commission appointed subject to confirmation.
- 1830 Ch. 35. Erects additional election district from parts of the 6th and 7th election districts to be known as the 12th election district.
- 1830 Ch. 146. Confirms Acts of 1829 Ch. 168.
- 1831 Ch. 112. Erects two additional election districts, the 13th and 14th.
- 1832 Ch. 165. Confirms Acts of 1831 Ch. 112 and appoints two commissioners to lay out the bounds.